

# Daily Digest

## HIGHLIGHTS

The House passed H.R. 4461, Agriculture, Rural Development, FDA, and Related Agencies Appropriations

## Senate

### Chamber Action

#### *Routine Proceedings, pages S6403–S6483*

**Measures Introduced:** Six bills and one resolution were introduced, as follows: S. 2844–2849, and S.J. Res. 49. **Pages S6473–74**

**Measures Reported:** Reports were made as follows:

S. 2844, to amend the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961 to authorize the provision of assistance to increase the availability of credit to microenterprises lacking full access to credit, to establish a Microfinance Loan Facility. (S. Rept. No. 106–335)

S. 2845, to authorize additional assistance to countries with large populations having HIV/AIDS, to authorize assistance for tuberculosis prevention, treatment, control, and elimination. (S. Rept. No. 106–336)

S. 2712, to amend chapter 35 of title 31, United States Code, to authorize the consolidation of certain financial and performance management reports required of Federal agencies. (S. Rept. No. 106–337)

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**Death Tax Elimination Act:** Senate resumed consideration of the motion to proceed to the consideration of H.R. 8, to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to phase out the estate and gift taxes over a 10-year period. **Pages S6408–48**

By 99 yeas to 1 nay (Vote No. 173), three-fifths of those Senators duly chosen and sworn having voted in the affirmative, Senate agreed to close further debate on the motion to proceed to consideration of the bill. **Page S6408**

A unanimous-consent agreement was reached providing for further consideration of the motion to proceed to consideration of the bill on Wednesday, July 12, 2000. **Page S6445**

**National Defense Authorization:** Senate resumed consideration of S. 2549, to authorize appropriations

for fiscal year 2001 for military activities of the Department of Defense, for military construction, and for defense activities of the Department of Energy, to prescribe personnel strengths for such fiscal year for the Armed Forces, taking action on the following amendments proposed thereto: **Pages S6448–61**

Adopted:

Smith (of NH) Modified Amendment No. 3210, to prohibit granting security clearances to felons. **Pages S6448–49**

Warner (for Smith of NH) Amendment No. 3765, to require that the annual report on transfers of militarily sensitive technology to countries and entities of concern include a discussion of actions taken on recommendations of inspectors general contained in previous annual reports. **Page S6450**

Levin (for Bryan) Amendment No. 3761, to provide for the concurrent payment to surviving spouses of disability and indemnity compensation and annuities under the Survivor Benefit Plan. **Pages S6450–51**

Levin (for Bingaman) Modified Amendment No. 3770, to improve the ability of the National Laboratories to achieve their missions through collaborations with other institutions. **Pages S6451–54**

Warner Modified Amendment No. 3739, to improve the modifications to the counterintelligence polygraph program of the Department of Energy. **Page S6454**

Warner (for Domenici) Modified Amendment No. 3259, to coordinate and facilitate the development by the Department of Defense of directed energy technologies, systems, and weapons. **Pages S6454–55**

Warner (for Domenici) Modified Amendment No. 3760, to expand and enhance United States efforts in the Russian nuclear complex to expedite the containment of nuclear expertise that presents a proliferation threat. **Pages S6455–56**

## Pending:

Warner (for Byrd) Amendment No. 3767, to provide for annual reporting of the national security implications of the bilateral trade and economic relationship between the United States and the People's Republic of China. **Pages S6449–50**

Byrd Amendment No. 3794 (to Amendment No. 3767), to provide for annual reporting of the national security implications of the bilateral trade and economic relationship between the United States and the People's Republic of China. **Page S6450**

Bennett/Reid Amendment No. 3185, to provide for an adjustment of composite theoretical performance levels of high performance computers. **Page S6456**

During consideration of this measure today, Senate also took the following action:

Warner (for Thompson) Amendment No. 3250 (previously adopted by the Senate on June 8, 2000), was modified. **Page S6450**

Warner (for Bennett) Amendment No. 3751 (previously adopted by the Senate on June 30, 2000), was modified. **Page S6450**

A unanimous-consent agreement was reached providing that any votes ordered with respect to amendments occur at 11:30 a.m. on Wednesday, July 12, 2000. **Page S6445**

A unanimous-consent agreement was reached providing for further consideration of the bill, pending amendments, and amendments to be proposed there-to, at 6:30 p.m. on Wednesday, July 12, 2000. Further, that the bill be advanced to third reading, the Senate proceed to the House companion bill H.R. 4205, that all after the enacting clause be stricken, the text of the Senate bill be inserted, the House bill be advanced to third reading and passage occur, all without any intervening action, and the Senate bill be then placed on the Calendar. **Page S6461**

**Interior Appropriations—Agreement:** A unanimous-consent agreement was reached providing for certain amendments to be proposed to H.R. 4578, making appropriations for the Department of the Interior and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2001. **Pages S6444–45**

**Messages From the House:** **Page S6468**

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**Privileges of the Floor:** **Pages S6482–83**

**Record Votes:** One record vote was taken today. (Total—173) **Page S6408**

**Adjournment:** Senate convened at 9:31 a.m., and adjourned at 8:38 p.m., until 9:30 a.m., on Wednesday, July 12, 2000. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of the Acting Majority Leader in today's Record on page S6483.)

## Committee Meetings

(Committees not listed did not meet)

### AMTRAK COMMUTER RAIL CONTRACT

*Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs:* Subcommittee on Housing and Transportation concluded hearings to examine the Federal Transit Administration's decision to approve the Massachusetts Bay Transportation Authority's request for a waiver from the Federal Transit Administration's five-year limitation on contract length that would allow a three year extension of the agreement with the National Railroad Passenger Corporation (Amtrak) to provide mechanical, transportation, and engineering services, after receiving testimony from Nuria I. Fernandez, Acting Administrator, Federal Transit Administration, Department of Transportation; and George D. Warrington, President and CEO, National Railroad Passenger Corporation (Amtrak).

### WATER RIGHTS ACTS

*Committee on Energy and Natural Resources:* Subcommittee on Water and Power concluded hearings on S. 2195, to amend the Reclamation Wastewater and Groundwater Study and Facilities Act to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to participate in the design, planning, and construction of the Truckee watershed reclamation project for the reclamation and reuse of water, S. 2350, to direct the Secretary of the Interior to convey to certain water rights to Duchesne City, Utah, S. 2672, to provide for the conveyance of various reclamation projects to local water authorities, after receiving testimony from Eluid L. Martinez, Commissioner, Bureau of Reclamation, and Sharon Blackwell, Deputy Commissioner of Indian Affairs, both of the Department of the Interior; Steve K. Walker, Washoe County Water Resources Division, Reno, Nevada; John A. Sweikar, Sugar Pine Transfer Committee Foresthill Public Utility District, Foresthill, California; and Brice Bledsoe, Contra Costa Water District, Concord, California.

**INTERNET MUSIC**

*Committee on the Judiciary:* Committee concluded hearings on the future of digital music, focusing on certain issues concerning downloading music from the internet, and copyright infringement, after receiving testimony from Lars Ulrich, and Fred Ehrlich, New Technology and Business Development, Sony Music Entertainment Inc., both of New York, New York; Hank Barry, Napster, Inc., San Mateo, California; Michael Robertson, MP3.com, Inc., San Diego, California; Gene Hoffman, Jr., EMusic.com, Inc., Redwood City, California; Gene Kan, Gnutella, Belmont, California; James Hazen Griffin, Cherry Lane Digital, Los Angeles, California; and Roger McGuinn, Windemere, Florida.

**LIVING TRUST SCAMS**

*Special Committee on Aging:* Committee concluded hearings to examine various scams involving fraudulent marketing and sales of living trusts targeting older Americans planning their estate, after receiving testimony from Elaine Kolish, Associate Director, Division of Enforcement, Bureau of Consumer Protection, Federal Trade Commission; Elmer C. Prenzlow, Wisconsin Department of Agriculture, Trade and Consumer Protection, Milwaukee; Paul F. Hancock, Office of the Attorney General of South Florida, Fort Lauderdale; George B. Hoffman, George B. Hoffman Estate and Retirement Planning, Newport Beach, California, on behalf of the Alliance for Mature Americans; Esther Canja, American Association of Retired Persons, Port Charlotte, Florida; and Judy Kulinski, Pewaukee, Wisconsin.

## House of Representatives

### *Chamber Action*

**Bills Introduced:** 5 public bills, H.R. 4820–4824; and 4 resolutions, H. Con. Res. 370, and H. Res. 544, 547, and 548 were introduced. **Pages H5842–43**

**Reports Filed:** Reports were filed today as follows.

H.R. 2961, to amend the Immigration and Nationality Act to authorize a 3-year pilot program under which the Attorney General may extend the period for voluntary departure in the case of certain nonimmigrant aliens who require medical treatment in the United States and were admitted under the Visa Waiver Pilot Program (H. Rept. 106–721);

H.R. 4034, to reauthorize the United States Patent and Trademark Office (H. Rept. 106–722);

H.R. 4063, to establish the Rosie the Riveter-World War II Home Front National Historical Park in the State of California, amended (H. Rept. 106–723);

S. 1892, to authorize the acquisition of the Valles Caldera, to provide for an effective land and wildlife management program for this resource within the Department of Agriculture (H. Rept. 106–724).

H.R. 3489, to amend the Communications Act of 1934 to regulate interstate commerce in the use of mobile telephones and to strengthen and clarify prohibitions on electronic eaves-dropping, amended (H. Rept. 106–725, Pt. 1);

H.R. 3489, to amend the Communications Act of 1934 to regulate interstate commerce in the use of mobile telephones and to strengthen and clarify pro-

hibitions on electronic eaves-dropping, amended (H. Rept. 106–725, Pt. 2);

H. Res. 545, providing for consideration of H.R. 4810, to provide for reconciliation pursuant to section 103(a)(1) of the concurrent resolution on the budget for fiscal year 2001 (H. Rept. 106–726); and

H. Res. 546, providing for consideration of H.R. 4811, making appropriations for foreign operations, export financing, and related programs for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2001 (H. Rept. 106–727). **Pages H5836, H5842**

**Speaker Pro Tempore:** Read a letter from the Speaker wherein he designated Representative Sherwood to act as Speaker pro tempore for today.

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**Guest Chaplain:** The prayer was offered by the guest Chaplain, Rabbi Linda Motzkin of Saratoga Springs, New York.

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**Recess:** The House recessed at 9:08 a.m. and reconvened at 10:00 a.m.

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**Suspensions:** the House agreed to suspend the rules pass the following measures:

**Mobile Telecommunications Sourcing Act:** H.R. 4391, amended, to amend title 4 of the United States Code to establish nexus requirements for State and local taxation of mobile telecommunication services. Agreed to amend the title; **Pages H5741–44**

**Permanent Resident Status to Syrian Nationals:** H.R. 4681, amended, to provide for the adjustment of status of certain Syrian nationals; **Pages H5744–48**

**Aimee's Law:** H.R. 894, amended, to encourage States to incarcerate individuals convicted of murder, rape, or child molestation; **Pages H5748–57**

**Strongly Objecting to any Effort to Expel the Holy See from its Status as United Nations Permanent Observer:** H. Con. Res. 253, expressing the sense of the Congress strongly objecting to any effort to expel the Holy See from the United Nations as a state participant by removing its status as a Permanent Observer (agreed to by a yeas and nays vote of 416 yeas to 1 nay, Roll No. 379); **Pages H5757–60, H5764–65**

**Grants for Studies at Foreign Institutions:** H.R. 4528, amended, to establish an undergraduate grant program of the Department of State to assist students of limited financial means from the United States to pursue studies at foreign institutions of higher education; **Pages H5760–62**

**Condemning the Use of Children as Soldiers:** H. Con. Res. 348, expressing condemnation of the use of children as soldiers and expressing the belief that the United States should support and, where possible, lead efforts to end this abuse of human rights; **Pages H5762–64**

**National Wildlife Refuge System Centennial Act:** H.R. 4442, amended, to establish a commission to promote awareness of the National Wildlife Refuge System among the American public as the System celebrates its centennial anniversary in 2003 (passed by a recorded vote of—403 yeas to 15 nays, Roll No. 380). The motion to suspend the rules was debated on July 10; **Page H5765**

**National Ocean Day:** H. Res. 415, amended, expressing the sense of the House of Representatives that there should be established a National Ocean Day to recognize the significant role the ocean plays in the lives of the Nation's people and the important role the Nation's people must play in the continued life of the ocean (agreed to by a recorded vote of 387 yeas to 28 nays with 2 voting "present", Roll No. 381). The motion to suspend the rules was debated on July 10; **Pages H5765–66**

**Rosie the Riveter Home Front National Historical Park:** H.R. 4063, to establish the Rosie the Riveter-World War II Home Front National Historical Park in the State of California; **Pages H5792–96**

**Utah West Desert Land Exchange Act:** H.R. 4579, amended, to provide for the exchange of certain lands within the State of Utah; **Pages H5796–97**

**J.L. Dawkins Post Office in Fayetteville, NC:** H.R. 4658, to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 301 Green Street in

Fayetteville, North Carolina, as the "J.L. Dawkins Post Office Building"; and **Pages H5806–08**

**Henry W. McGee Post Office in Chicago, IL:** H.R. 3909, to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 4601 South Cottage Grove Avenue in Chicago, Illinois, as the "Henry W. McGee Post Office Building." **Pages H5809–11**

**Suspensions—Proceedings Postponed:** The House completed debate on the following motions to suspend the rules and postponed further proceedings on the measures:

**Acquisition of the Baca Ranch with the Valles Caldera:** S. 1892, to authorize the acquisition of the Valles Caldera, to provide for an effective land and wildlife management program for this resource within the Department of Agriculture; **Pages H5797–H5806**

**Barbara F. Vucanovich Post Office in Reno, NV:** H.R. 4169, to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 2000 Vassar Street in Reno, Nevada, as the "Barbara F. Vucanovich Post Office Building;" and **Page H5808**

**Samuel H. Lacy, Sr. Post Office in Baltimore, MD:** H.R. 4447, to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 919 West 34th Street in Baltimore, Maryland, as the "Samuel H. Lacy, Sr. Post Office Building." **Pages H5811–12**

**Agriculture, Rural Development, FDA, and Related Agencies Appropriations:** The House passed H.R. 4461, making appropriations for Agriculture, Rural Development, Food and Drug Administration, and Related Agencies programs for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2001 by a yeas and nays vote of 339 yeas to 82 nays, Roll No. 385. The House previously considered the bill on June 29 and July 10. **Pages H5766–91**

Rejected:

DeFazio amendment No. 39 printed in the Congressional Record that sought to reduce Wildlife Services Program funding for livestock protection by \$7 million and prohibit any funding to conduct campaigns to destruct wild animals for the purpose of protecting stock (rejected by a recorded vote of 190 yeas to 228 nays, Roll No. 382); **Page H5787**

Sanford amendment No. 48 printed in the Congressional Record that sought to prohibit any funding for payments to wool and mohair producers (a recorded vote of 166 yeas to 255 nays, Roll No. 383); and **Pages H5788–89**

Burton of Indiana amendment No. 68 printed in the Congressional Record that sought to prohibit waivers on applicable conflicts of interest rules to members of vaccine-related Federal advisory committees (rejected by a recorded vote of 168 yeas to 253 nays, Roll No. 384). **Pages H5777–79**

Withdrawn:

Allen amendment No. 32 printed in the Congressional Record was offered and withdrawn that sought to require pharmaceutical manufacturers to identify the total cost of research and development and amounts paid with State or Federal funds in new drug applications; **Pages H5773–75**

Brown of Ohio amendment No. 37 printed in the Congressional Record was offered and withdrawn that sought to require pharmaceutical manufacturers to disclose the average price charged for drugs in each country that is a member of the Organization for Economic Co-operation and Development; and **Pages H5775–77**

Kucinich amendment No. 9 printed in the Congressional Record was offered and withdrawn that sought to establish the Genetically Engineered Food Right to Know Act. **Pages H5779–83**

The House agreed to H. Res. 538, the rule that is providing for consideration of the bill on June 28.

**Senate Messages:** Message received from the Senate appears on page H5739.

**Amendments:** Amendments ordered printed pursuant to the rule appear on pages H5843–46.

**Quorum Calls—Votes:** Two yea and nay votes and five recorded votes developed during the proceedings of the House today and appear on pages H5764–65, H5765, H5766, H5787, H5788, H5788–89, and H5791. There were no quorum calls.

**Adjournment:** The House met at 9 a.m. and adjourned at 10:10 p.m.

## Committee Meetings

### TREASURY, POSTAL SERVICE, AND GENERAL GOVERNMENT APPROPRIATIONS

*Committee on Appropriations:* Subcommittee on Treasury, Postal Service, and General Government approved for full Committee action the Treasury, Postal Service, and General Government appropriations for fiscal year 2001.

### NATIONAL NUCLEAR SECURITY ADMINISTRATION

*Committee on Armed Services:* Special Oversight Panel on Department of Energy Reorganization held a hearing on implementation issues related to the establishment of the National Nuclear Security Administration. Testimony was heard from Gen. John Gordon, USAF, Administrator, National Nuclear Security Administration, Department of Energy.

### RYAN WHITE CARE ACT AMENDMENTS

*Committee on Commerce:* Subcommittee on Health and Environment held a hearing on H.R. 4807, Ryan

White CARE Act Amendments of 2000. Testimony was heard from Claude Earl Fox, M.D., Administrator, Health Resources and Services Administration, Department of Health and Human Services; Janet Heinrich, Associate Director, GAO; Tom Liberti, Chief, Bureau of HIV/AIDS, Department of Health, State of Florida; Guthrie S. Birkhead, M.D., Director, AIDS, Institute, Department of Health, State of New York; and public witnesses.

### DOE'S NUCLEAR WEAPON LABORATORIES—WEAKNESSES IN CLASSIFIED SECURITY CONTROLS

*Committee on Commerce:* Subcommittee on Oversight and Investigations held a hearing on "Weaknesses in Classified Information Security Controls at DOE's Nuclear Weapon Laboratories." Testimony was heard from Jim Wells, Issues Area Director, Energy, Resources, and Sciences Issues, GAO; and the following officials of the Department of Energy: Glenn S. Podonsky, Director, Office of Independent Oversight and Performance Assurance; T. J. Glauthier, Deputy Secretary; C. Paul Robinson, President and Laboratories Director, Sandia National Laboratories; John C. Browne, Director, Los Alamos National Laboratory; and C. Bruce Tarter, Director, Lawrence Livermore National Laboratory; and a public witness.

### EFFECTIVENESS OF THE NATIONAL YOUTH ANTI-DRUG MEDIA CAMPAIGN

*Committee on Government Reform:* Subcommittee on Criminal Justice, Drug Policy, and Human Resources held a hearing on the Effectiveness of the National Youth Anti-Drug Media Campaign. Testimony was heard from Barry R. McCaffrey, Director, Office of National Drug Control Policy; and public witnesses.

### HEALTH CARE INFRASTRUCTURE INVESTMENT ACT

*Committee on Government Reform:* Subcommittee on Government Management, Information, and Technology held a hearing on H.R. 4401, Health Care Infrastructure Investment Act of 2000. Testimony was heard from Senator Lugar; Gary Christoph, Chief Information Officer, Health Care Financing Administration, Department of Health and Human Services; Joel Willemssen, Director, Civil Agencies Information Systems, GAO; and public witnesses.

### MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES

*Committee on the Judiciary:* Ordered reported, as amended the following bills: H.R. 4194, Small Business Merger Fee Reduction Act of 2000; H.R. 4033, Bulletproof Vest Partnership Grant Act of 2000; and H.R. 2059, to amend the Omnibus Crime Control

and Safe Streets Act of 1968 to extend the retroactive eligibility dates for financial assistance for higher education for spouses and dependent children of Federal, State, and local law enforcement officers who are killed in the line of duty.

#### **ADOPTED ORPHANS CITIZENSHIP ACT**

*Committee on the Judiciary:* Subcommittee on Immigration and Claims approved for full Committee action H.R. 2883, Adopted Orphans Citizenship Act.

#### **MINERAL RIGHTS AND FEDERAL EMPLOYEE PAYMENTS**

*Committee on Resources:* Subcommittee on Energy and Mineral Resources met in executive session to hold a hearing to examine laws, policies, practices, and operations of the Department of the Interior and Department of Energy related to payments to their employees (including federal public land oil royalty and valuation policy advisors) from outside sources, (including the Project on Government Oversight); and to examine (a) the source of funds for such payments (b) the relationship between those managing and overseeing the organization that made the payments and the individuals who received the payments, (c) the effect of the payments on programs, policies, and positions of such departments. Testimony was heard from Robert A. Berman, Economist, Department of the Interior.

#### **FOREIGN OPERATIONS, EXPORT FINANCING, AND RELATED PROGRAMS APPROPRIATIONS**

*Committee on Rules:* Granted, by voice vote, an open rule providing one hour of general debate on H.R. 4811, making appropriations for foreign operations, export financing, and related programs for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2001, equally divided and controlled by the chairman and ranking minority member of the Committee on Appropriations. The rule waives all points of order against consideration of the bill. The rule waives points of order against provisions in the bill for failure to comply with clause 2 of Rule XXI (prohibiting unauthorized or legislative provisions in a general appropriations bill or prohibiting reappropriations in a general appropriations bill), except as specified in the rule. The rule waives points of order against amendments to the bill for failure to comply with clause 2(e) of Rule XXI (prohibiting non-emergency designated amendments to be offered to an appropriations bill containing an emergency designation). The rule allows the Chairman of the Committee of the Whole to accord priority in recognition to Members who have pre-printed their amendments in the Congressional Record. The rule allows the Chairman of the Committee of the Whole to postpone votes during

consideration of the bill, and to reduce voting time to five minutes on a postponed question if the vote follows a fifteen minute vote. Finally, the rule provides one motion to recommit with or without instructions. Testimony was heard from Representatives Callahan, Baker, Greenwood, Brady of Texas, Pelosi, Lowey, Nadler, Waters and Menendez.

#### **MARRIAGE TAX PENALTY RELIEF RECONCILIATION ACT**

*Committee on Rules:* Granted, by voice vote, a modified closed rule providing 1 hour of debate on H.R. 4810, Marriage Tax Penalty Relief Reconciliation Act of 2000. The rule waives all points of order against consideration of the bill. The rule provides for consideration of the amendment in the nature of a substitute, printed in the Rules Committee report accompanying the resolution, if offered by Representative Rangel or his designee, which shall be considered as read and shall be separately debatable for one hour equally divided between the proponent and an opponent. The rule waives all points of order against consideration of the amendment printed in the report. Finally, the rule provides one motion to recommit with or without instructions. Testimony was heard from Representatives Weller and Rangel.

#### **ROADLESS POLICY—EFFECTS ON RURAL SMALL BUSINESS AND RURAL COMMUNITIES**

*Committee on Small Business:* Subcommittee on Rural Enterprises, Business Opportunities and Special Small Business Problems held a hearing on the Effects of the Roadless Policy on Rural Small Business and Rural Communities. Testimony was heard from Charles Rawls, General Counsel, USDA; and public witnesses.

#### **NEW PUBLIC LAWS**

*(For last listing of Public Laws, see DAILY DIGEST, p. D711)*

H.R. 3051, to direct the Secretary of the Interior, the Bureau of Reclamation, to conduct a feasibility study on the Jicarilla Apache Reservation in the State of New Mexico. Signed July 10, 2000. (P.L. 106–243)

S. 1309, to amend title I of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 to provide for the preemption of State law in certain cases relating to certain church plans. Signed July 10, 2000. (P.L. 106–244)

S. 1515, to amend the Radiation Exposure Compensation Act. Signed July 10, 2000. (P.L. 106–245)

## COMMITTEE MEETINGS FOR WEDNESDAY,

JULY 12, 2000

*(Committee meetings are open unless otherwise indicated)*

## Senate

*Committee on Armed Services:* to hold hearings to examine the Department of Defense Anthrax Vaccine Immunization Program, 9:30 a.m., SH-216.

*Committee on the Budget:* to hold hearings on certain provisions of S. 2274, to amend title XIX of the Social Security Act to provide families and disabled children with the opportunity to purchase coverage under the medicaid program for such children, 10 a.m., SD-608.

*Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation:* to hold hearings on the nomination of Francisco J. Sanchez, of Florida, to be an Assistant Secretary of Transportation; and Frank Henry Cruz, of California, Ernest J. Wilson III, of Maryland, Katherine Milner Anderson, of Virginia, and Kenneth Y. Tomlinson, of Virginia, each to be a Member of the Board of Directors of the Corporation for Public Broadcasting, 9:30 a.m., SR-253.

*Committee on Foreign Relations:* to hold hearings to examine the United Nations policy in Africa, 10:30 a.m., SD-419.

Subcommittee on International Economic Policy, Export and Trade Promotion, to hold hearings on the role of biotechnology in combating poverty and hunger in developing countries, 2 p.m., SD-419.

*Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions:* to hold hearings to examine the National Science Foundation, 10 a.m., SD-430.

*Committee on Indian Affairs:* to hold oversight hearings on risk management and tort liability relating to Indian matters, 2:30 p.m., SR-485.

*Committee on the Judiciary:* Subcommittee on Technology, Terrorism, and Government Information, to hold hearings to examine identity theft and how to protect and restore your good name, 10 a.m., SD-226.

Full Committee, to hold hearings on the nominations of Glenn A. Fine, of Maryland, to be Inspector General, Department of Justice; Dennis M. Cavanaugh, to be United States District Judge for the District of New Jersey;

James S. Moody, Jr., to be United States District Judge for the Middle District of Florida;

Gregory A. Presnell, to be United States District Judge for the Middle District of Florida; and

John E. Steele, of Florida, to be United States District Judge for the Middle District of Florida, 2 p.m., SD-226.

## House

*Committee on Agriculture,* hearing to review federal farm policy, 10 a.m., 1300 Longworth.

*Committee on Appropriations,* to consider a report on the revised suballocation of budget allocations for fiscal year 2001, 10 a.m., 2359 Rayburn.

Subcommittee on the District of Columbia, hearing on Fiscal Year 2001 District of Columbia Budget, 10 a.m., 2362 Rayburn.

*Committee on the Budget,* Health Task Force, hearing on Blowing Smoke on the Invisible Man, Measuring Fraud, Payment Errors in Medicare and Medicaid, 10 a.m., 210 Cannon.

Natural Resources and the Environment Task Force, hearing on Department of Energy Management Practices, 2 p.m., 210 Cannon.

*Committee on Commerce,* Subcommittee on Finance and Hazardous Materials, hearing on H.R. 4541, Commodity Futures Modernization Act of 2000, 10 a.m., 2123 Rayburn.

*Committee on Government Reform,* Subcommittee on Government Management, Information, and Technology, hearing on the following measures: the Federal Property Asset Management Reform Act; and H.R. 3285, Federal Asset Management Improvement Act of 1999, 10 a.m., 2247 Rayburn.

Subcommittee on National Security, Veterans' Affairs and International Relations, hearing on Hepatitis C: Access, Testing and Treatment in the VA Health Care System, 10 a.m., 2154 Rayburn.

*Committee on International Relations,* hearing on Global Terrorism: South Asia—The New Locus, 10 a.m., 2172 Rayburn.

*Committee on the Judiciary,* Subcommittee on the Constitution, oversight hearing on the Civil Rights Division of the Department of Justice, 10 a.m., 2237 Rayburn.

*Committee on Resources,* to mark up a motion to sustain rulings by Chairman Don Young on objections to the production of records subject to subpoenas issued by Chairman Don Young under the authority of a resolution adopted by the Committee on Resources on June 9, 1999, which objections were raised by Robert A. Berman, Henry M. Banta, Danielle Brian Stockton, Keith Rutter, and the Project on Government Oversight; followed by an oversight hearing on Office of Insular Affairs, U.S. Department of the Interior, 11 a.m., 1324 Longworth.

*Committee on Veterans' Affairs,* Subcommittee on Benefits, hearing on the following bills: H.R. 4765, 21st Century Veterans Employment and Training Act; and H.R. 3256, Veterans' Right to Know Act, 10 a.m., 334 Cannon.

*Next Meeting of the SENATE*

9:30 a.m., Wednesday, July 12

## Senate Chamber

**Program for Wednesday:** Senate will continue consideration of the motion to proceed to consideration of H.R. 8, Death Tax Elimination Act.

At 11:30 a.m., Senate will continue consideration of S. 2549, Defense Authorization, with a vote on Bennett/Reid Amendment No. 3185: following which, Senate will begin consideration of H.R. 8, Death Tax Elimination Act. Also, Senate may resume consideration of H.R. 4578, Interior Appropriations.

*Next Meeting of the HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES*

10 a.m., Wednesday, July 12

## House Chamber

**Program for Wednesday:** Consideration of H.R. 4810, Marriage Penalty Tax Elimination Reconciliation Act (modified closed rule, one hour of debate), and

Consideration of H.R. 4811, Foreign Operations Appropriations, FY 2001 (open rule, one hour of debate).

## Extensions of Remarks, as inserted in this issue

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